

STATE OF ILLINOIS

ILLINOIS COMMERCE COMMISSION

WISCONSIN CENTRAL LTD.,

Petitioner,

vs.

ILLINOIS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION,

Respondent.

Petition of Wisconsin Central Ltd. seeking an order of the Illinois Commerce Commission directing that an additional track and grade crossing be constructed at Illinois Route 173 (DOT 689-743F) on the Wisconsin Central Ltd. in the Village of Antioch, Lake County, IL.



Illinois Commerce Commission
RAIL SAFETY SECTION

T02-0013

VERIFIED PETITION FOR EXTENSION

Now comes Wisconsin Central Ltd. ("WC") and petitions the Illinois Commerce

Commission (the "Commission") for an order giving WC an extension to comply with the

mandates of the Commission in this docket. In support of its Petition, WC states as

follows:

- 1. WC is a rail carrier operating in Illinois and is a rail carrier within the meaning of the Illinois Commercial Transportation Law.
- 2. The Illinois Department of Transportation ("IDOT") is an agency of the State of Illinois and is subject to the jurisdiction of the Commission.
- 3. Illinois Route 173 is a state highway under the jurisdiction of the Illinois Department of Transportation.



- 4. WC operates a line of railroad that crosses at grade with Illinois Route 173.
- 5. Pursuant to an order in this Docket dated May 8, 2002, the Commission required that WC construct an additional track and grade crossing across Illinois Route 173 in the Village of Antioch, Lake County, Illinois.
- 6. The Commission gave WC until May 8, 2003 to complete the work described in Paragraph 5.
- 7. Due to delays in receiving the required permits, WC has had to push back construction. WC anticipates that construction will begin in May or June, 2003. The permit issues have been rectified.
- 8. Therefore, WC is requesting an extension of time until November 8, 2003 to complete the work mandated by the Commission in ICC Docket T02-0013.

WHEREFORE, Wisconsin Central Ltd. respectfully requests that the Commission:

- a) Give Wisconsin Central Ltd. until November 8, 2003, to complete work mandated in the order dated May 8, 2002 in this Docket; and
- b) Provide such other and further relief as the Commission deems just and appropriate.

Dated at Chicago, Illinois this 3rd day of December, 2002.

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NOTICE OF FILING

Mr. Ed Gower Chief Counsel Illinois Department of Transportation 2300 S. Dirksen Parkway, Room 300 Springfield, IL 62764

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that we have on this 3rd day of December, 2002, mailed for filing with the Illinois Commerce Commission, Wisconsin Central Ltd.'s Verified Petition for Extension in the above captioned matter, a copy of which is hereby served upon you.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, MICHAEL J. BARRON, JR., an attorney, certify that I served the foregoing Verified Petition for Extension upon the respondents made party to this proceeding by enclosing copies of the foregoing in envelopes addressed to those parties as set forth below, postage prepaid, and depositing the envelopes in the United States mail at 455 North Cityfront Plaza Drive, Chicago, IL on the 3rd day of December, 2002.

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VERIFICATION

THOMAS R. KLEMM, being first duly sworn under oath, deposes and states that he is Project Manager (Metra) of Wisconsin Central Ltd., that he has read the foregoing Petition of Wisconsin Central Ltd., and that the contents thereof are true and correct to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Thomas R. Klemm

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this $\sqrt[2]{t/h}$ day of November, 2002.

Notary Public

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CAROL BRANDENBURG
Notary Public, State of Illinois
My Commission Expires 10/07/05